

Amendment to the Abstract:

The Abstract has been amended. A revised Abstract is attached.

Attachment

ABSTRACT

A dehumidification process ~~effor~~ granulated plastics materials ~~-comprisesincludes~~ a process-gas treatment step {4} in which the moisture content of the process gas is reduced substantially and a subsequent granule-treatment step {3} by contact with the process gas having a reduced moisture content. In the process-gas treatment step, the reduction of the moisture content of the process gas is regulated {20} in dependence on the granules to be treated. A dehumidification plant {1} operating in accordance with the process is also described.